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AMENDMENTS TO LB 425

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM0521)

1           1.     On page 36, strike line 5 and insert "FEDERAL FUND  
2     est. 13,486,723     13,831,310"; strike line 6 and insert "PROGRAM  
3     TOTAL 29,775,289     30,540,339"; and after line 16 insert:

4           "There is included in the appropriation to this program  
5     for FY2005-06 \$250,000 Federal Temporary Assistance For Needy  
6     Families (TANF) Funds to be used for a grant from Program 177 for  
7     the purposes described in this section. There is included in the  
8     appropriation to this program for FY2006-07 \$250,000 Federal  
9     Temporary Assistance For Needy Families (TANF) Funds to be used for  
10    a grant from Program 177 for the purposes described in this  
11    section. Funds shall be used for a pilot program to provide  
12    assistance to women who are pregnant or who believe they may be  
13    pregnant.

14           It is the intent of the Legislature that the department  
15    shall conduct a competitive solicitation for a grant award to a  
16    nonprofit entity to act as a service provider to conduct the pilot  
17    program. In order to qualify for a grant from this appropriation,  
18    the applicant selected shall have demonstrated experience operating  
19    a program that has a stated purpose of assisting pregnant women  
20    with services consistent with those anticipated in the pilot  
21    program. The pilot program shall not refer for, perform, or  
22    counsel for abortions and shall be physically and financially  
23    separate from any program that refers for, performs, or counsels

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1 for abortions.

2           Services of the recipient nonprofit entity that are  
3 consistent with the purpose of this program include, but are not  
4 limited to, the provision of maternity and infant clothing, food,  
5 and supplies, information about pregnancy and medical services, and  
6 information on adoption, nutrition, parenting, and the availability  
7 of additional public and private assistance to pregnant women and  
8 mothers of newborn children.".